

BRITISH DECRY SUPINE POLICY

CRITICISE FOREIGN OFFICE FOR LACK OF BACKBONE

Three New School Trustees Must Be Elected In April

The approaching school election is beginning to attract attention and the names of several business men have been mentioned as possessing the qualifications essential to making a successful campaign for the betterment of the public school system. The election is more important than in any previous year owing to the fact that there is no holdover this year due to the resignations of the three present members of the board.

Hiram Gill Is Elected New Mayor of Seattle

SEATTLE, March 4.—Hiram Gill, elected mayor in 1910, re-elected in 1911, after women had been enfranchised, defeated for re-election in 1912, was elected mayor yesterday by 14,000 majority. His election was expected but his great majority was a surprise. Gill carried all but one precinct.

WASHOUT FIXED AND ALL TRAINS RUN ON TIME

THROUGH SERVICE RESTORED AND TRAINS OPERATING WITHOUT DELAYS

D. Aspland, general agent for the Tonopah & Tidewater, says his line is once more in the field and sending out regular trains, the first going south from Goldfield this afternoon. The company was somewhat disturbed by a washout at Silver Lake due to the heavy waves washed by a sixty mile gale against the temporary roadbed erected shortly after the big storm of two weeks ago.

Owing to the heavy rush of freight traffic following the flood period the company did not have time to make permanent repairs but now the roadbed has been ripped and placed in shape so it will stand until long after the time when the waters of Silver lake will evaporate in the hot sun of the good old summer time. The Santa Fe is running through trains right into the heart of Los Angeles on perfect schedule and Mr. Aspland assures travelers that they can find the Pullman service out of Goldfield equal to the best in the land.

POLLING JURIES IN COOL DISTRICTS

METHODS OF DRAWING NAMES EXPOSED TO THE GAZE OF INVESTIGATOR

WALSLEBURG, March 4.—The congressional strike investigators were enlightened as to the methods of securing juries in Hurefano county. The clerk said in the last ten years twenty jury lists have been certified.

TEMPERATURE REPORT
Highest temperature yesterday, 50; a year ago, 50.
Lowest temperature last night, 40; a year ago, 38.

Police Station Burgled by Cop

EUGENE, Ore., March 4.—Policeman McCune was arrested on the charge of burglarizing a police station. The police say he was detected stealing liquor concealed in a recent raid.

alternately president and clerk for thirteen years, feels that he has done his duty to the people of Tonopah and insists on retiring. He would have been willing to do this two years ago had he not been urged to remain and assist in the construction of the new high school. This work has been accomplished, the building has been occupied since the opening of the present school term, all debts are now to be liquidated and nothing remains but the bond

WANTS A LICENSE TO TURN LOOSE A REVOLUTION

FELIX DIAZ HAS A LITTLE PRO-MOTION OF HIS OWN READY TO SPRING

FOUR MEN ARE IN HARD TRAINING

GETTING READY FOR THE DECISIVE FIGHT ON MARCH TWELFTH

The Tonopah Athletic Club, consisting of thirty business men of Tonopah, organized for the purpose of affording amusement for the public and themselves, has staged two good boxing bouts to take place at the Nevada theater, Thursday, March 12, main event between Kid George of Sacramento and Bob Graham of Goldfield; preliminary between Fred Lydon of Tonopah and Kid Harrison of Reno.

The boys are all hard at work conditioning themselves for the coming bouts.

Two hundred fans visited the gym yesterday to see George and Lydon at work and left much pleased over the work of both boys.

The four principals met a few days ago and unanimously decided on Emory Arnold as referee.

Tickets for the entertainment are on sale at Tonopah drug store, Cobweb, Bank and Regan's; also at Goldfield hotel and Bank saloon at Goldfield.

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issue to claim the attention of the new trustees.

Henry C. Schmidt, of the Tonopah Hardware Company, has been a trustee for two years and is responsible for the correctness of every detail entering into the specifications of the new building. As clerk of the board he received the princely salary of \$120 a year, and it is safe to say that no person could have been hired to do this work for ten times that sum. Mr. Schmidt entered into the responsibilities of his office with an earnestness and enthusiasm that carried him through most trying experiences and the community is indebted to him for a most generous contribution of time and experience.

Percy Oke was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Mr. J. S. McQuillan, who resigned immediately after election, wherein he assumed the brunt of the expense and hardship of making a personal campaign. Mr. Oke has two years more to serve but he prefers to lay down the honors for some one else to take up, as he has had more than his share of the cares and tribulations. As auditor of the Nevada Telephone and Telegraph Company he was equipped to look after the expenses and to safeguard the treasury. He is one of the most skillful accountants in Nevada and an examination of the books of the board of trustees will verify this statement.

Announcement of the intention of the trustees to resign was delayed awaiting a settlement of claims against the schoolhouse contractors, but these having been disposed of the board of trustees is willing to lay down the cares of office but may continue in office until their successors qualify.

The new order of things at the high school, which has become a sort of community center, has not met with the unqualified approval of taxpayers and the conduct of the trustees has been criticized by some who inclined to the belief that the school building should not be used for anything but actual school purposes and that class meetings, study clubs, mothers' caucuses and other matters of similar nature should not be allowed to use the rooms maintained at the expense of taxpayers. These are all questions for the new board to consider and the gravity of the election cannot be over estimated.

To further acquaint parents and taxpayers with the conditions it has been suggested that a meeting be called for some evening at the high school, where an open and frank discussion could be had and the sense of parents ascertained before going into the nomination of candidates.

FR. RICARD SAYS MARCH WILL BE STORMY MONTH

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Father Ricard, in his weather prediction for the next few weeks, says that storms will enter very closely on the following dates:

March 2, 4, 8, 11, 14, 16, 18, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30.

April 4, 6.

In his general summary for March he says:

This March, as a whole, is going to be a stormy month. The first storm period will extend nearly from February 28 to March 5. Expected to be severe over the middle states.

The next period will stretch from March 10 to March 15, with a promise of precipitation.

The third period, from March 16 to March 19, will develop unusual severity across the country.

Finally, there will be two more stormy periods during the last 10 days of the month, in accordance with the dates set forth.

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JINGOES SCREAM BECAUSE THE EAGLE'S TAIL FEATHERS ARE NOT PULLED OUT BY THE ENRAGED ENGLISH LION

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, March 4.—The British government's attitude on the Mexican situation subject elicits varied comment from newspapers. Some excerpts follow:

"Every reason of moral and international right requires the United States to punish Benton's murderers immediately. Civilization stands flouted and Great Britain is outraged."

"Public opinion in Great Britain will not take into consideration the embarrassments of President Wilson as an adequate excuse

for acquiescing in deeds which Villa, with the approval of Carranza, has been guilty."

"The United States has more responsibility for Benton's murder than Earl Gray stated (citing lifting the embargo on arms), and thus really the United States stands between England and redress."

Leading newspapers commented on Grey's caution and endorsed his attitude toward the United States as the only one possible, and condemned the United States policy as unfortunate rather than deliberately hostile. They united in stating the next move clearly lay with Wilson.

ELECTION BY ELKS DRAWS BIG HOUSE LAST EVENING

OFFICERS CHOSEN TO PRESIDE OVER THE DESTINIES OF TONOPAH LODGE FOR 1914

The Elks' election last night brought out a full attendance of members and a good natured rivalry for several of the offices. The result follows: Exalted ruler, Joe Gori; esteemed leading knight, Harry Atkinson; esteemed loyal knight, Alex. Dewar; esteemed lecturing knight, Fred H. Penn; secretary, Lowell Daniels; treasurer, Julius Garner; Tyler, Robert Christianson; trustee, J. E. Peck; delegate to the grand lodge, Elbert O'Connell; alternate delegate to the grand lodge, Henry Schmidt; past exalted ruler, Elbert O'Connell; Henry Schmidt was nominated by Tonopah lodge for district deputy.

SIXTH GRADE PUPILS SYMPATHIZE IN DEATH

FLOWERS SENT TO THE FORMER HOME OF LITTLE DAN PASHBY

Flowers in abundance and tender sympathy were the tribute from his classmates in the sixth grade to the memory of little Dan Pashby, who died Monday and whose body was taken to Colfax, Cal., this morning for burial.

The teacher and a committee from the class were to attend the funeral, had there been services in Tonopah. In view of the arrangements decided upon by the family the flowers were sent to the home yesterday. So promptly and generously did the children contribute that after a large floral tribute had been bought there still remained several dollars. This was presented to the family by the teacher as a token of good will from the pupils.

Dan had had a perfect record in school for attendance this year, up to the very day of his final illness, which lasted only a week. In his studies he was one of the best in Mrs. MacKenzie's room and he was a general favorite among his classmates.

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MURDERER FAINTS BEFORE TERRIBLE ARRAIGNMENT

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, March 4.—"A vile coward who killed his wife, made his children motherless, and then attempted to blacken her character to save his own wrecked life."

As the prosecutor thus denounced William Ellis, a Cincinnati leather merchant, on trial for the murder of his wife, in his opening argument to the jury, Ellis collapsed. "There are no adjectives to describe the despicable kind of coward Ellis is," continued the prosecutor, attacking the defendant upbraidingly. The death penalty was demanded.

FARISS TO SWING AT SAN QUENTIN NEXT FRIDAY

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SACRAMENTO, March 4.—Governor Johnson denied the request of Edna Montague, widow of Horace Montague, murdered by Ralph Ferris, the train bandit under sentence to be executed next Friday, that he commute the death sentence.

Johnson said he could not override the courts unless there were mitigating circumstances.

MINE MANAGER DECLINES TO TELL SALARY RECEIVED

MAC NAUGHTON OF THE CALUMET REFUSES TO ANSWER A QUESTION

HOUGHTON, Mich., March 4.—James MacNaughton, upon advice of counsel, declined to tell congressional investigators the amount of his salary as general manager of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Company. He denied it was \$100,000, as strikers' counsel intimated.

MacNaughton charged the Western Federation of Miners officers with offenses against law, but failed to cite specific instances. He denied he ever sought to join the Socialist party.

SAMPLE OF SCHOOL PIE TOUCHES THE RIGHT SPOT

W. W. Booth, president of the board of school trustees, acknowledges the gift of a juicy lemon pie from Miss Claire Lawrence of the domestic science class. The gift was for the purpose of testifying to the efficiency of the methods in vogue in this class and the recipient enthusiastically recommends the class in conclave to the earnest consideration of prospective husbands.

TEXAS GOVERNOR MAKES DEMAND ON THE HUERTAS

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DALLAS, Tex., March 4.—The governor has wired the federalists of Mexico, Leon for the extradition of Apollonio Rodriguez and five Mexicans charged with kidnapping Clemente Vergara, who afterward was hanged. The requisition is based on the charge of horse theft.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 4.—Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico, has sailed for London to report on Mexican conditions. He commended the United States policy. He said he believed Huerta would retire soon. He opposed intervention.

REFERENDUM CAN NOT BE APPLIED TO COUNTIES

THE MUCH MOOTED QUESTION RELATIVE TO THE APPLICATION OF THE RECENTLY ENACTED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, PROVIDING FOR THE REFERENDUM TO APPLY TO COUNTY AFFAIRS THAT WAS BROUGHT BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT BY THE PETITION OF TAXPAYERS OF ELKO COUNTY, PRAYING THAT A WRIT OF MANUJUS ISSUE ORDERING THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO PLACE THE QUESTION WHETHER OR NOT BONDS SHALL BE ISSUED BY ELKO COUNTY FOR THE ERECTION OF A HIGH SCHOOL AT WELLS, AS AUTHORIZED BY LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT, WAS SETTLED AS FAR AS COUNTY AFFAIRS ARE CONCERNED BY THE DECISION OF THE SUPREME COURT HANDLED DOWN YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The court held that the amendment to the constitution providing for the referendum has no corresponding statutory act providing for its operation within a county. As to whether there is a statute making the amendment applicable within the state at the present time was not passed upon by the court. The writ was denied.

GIRLS WILL PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE STATE

BASKET BALL TEAM FROM YERINGTON WILL CONTEST WITH TONOPAH HIGH

Next Saturday, March 7, the girls of Tonopah high school will meet the Yerington girls' team for the championship of Nevada in girls' basket ball.

Yerington has been defeated but twice in four years and the game will be one well worth watching.

The Tonopah girls have not been defeated yet and are working very hard to keep up the good work.

Yerington will arrive Saturday morning. They will be met by a committee of high school students and taken around to see some of the mines and mills.

It is planned to hold a rally Friday night to advertise the game and stimulate interest.

An admission of 50 cents will be charged in order to meet the heavy expense incident to a trip of this kind.

RESIGNS OWING TO LACK OF HARMONY

CHIEF COUNSELLOR NOT IN TUNE WITH THE WILSON FOREIGN POLICY

WASHINGTON, March 4.—John Bassett Moore, counselor of the state department, ranking as acting secretary, has resigned. Wilson has accepted. It is rumored that there was lack of harmony between his views and those of higher officials. Nothing official is given as the reason.

DIVORCE GRANTED

Judge Averil has signed a divorce decree releasing Ruth Taft from marital relations with Elias Taft and giving the mother the care of their only child. Both parties formerly lived at Round Mountain. The allegation was cruelty.

Representative Humphrey of Washington blames the Democratic party for a tariff, which he says has allowed foreign manufacturers to take possession of the American market.

Mexico's First Naval Battle

(By Associated Press.)

NOGALES, Ariz., March 4.—The first naval battle in the history of the Mexican revolution is being fought at Topolopepe. The rebel gunboat Tampico, within the harbor, is shell-ing the warship Morelos at Guerrero.